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Test of Language Competence-Extended (TLC-E)

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Classification:	Supplemental
Short Description of Instrument:	The Test of Language Competence-Extended (TLC-E) is used as a test of pragmatic language use and also a screening composite. The test is used to assess an individual's ability to perceive, interpret and respond to the demands of a conversation. Sub-tests include the following: Ambiguous sentences, listening comprehension, making inferences, oral expression, recreating speech acts, figurative language and memory (supplemental test).
	Appropriate for children 5-18 years of age. Level 1 of the measure is for ages 5 - 9 and level 2 of is appropriate for ages 9 – 18.
Scoring:	Standard scores for subtests (M= 10; SD = 3) and the composite (M = 100; SD = 15), raw scores, age equivalent scores and percentile ranks are given.
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